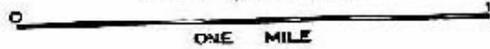


MIDAS # 0078
EMBDEN POND
 EMBDEN TWP, SOMERSET COVE
 AREA 1,547 ACRES



→ **SAMPLE STATION #1**

OUTLET

EMBDEN POND

Embden Twp., Somerset County
U.S.G.S. Embden Pond, Maine (7½')

Fishes

Landlocked salmon	Blacknose dace
Lake trout (togue)	Fallfish (chub)
Brook trout	White sucker
Rainbow smelt	Hornpout (bullhead)
Smallmouth bass	Burbot (cusk)
Yellow perch	Banded killifish
Chain pickerel	Pumpkinseed sunfish
Minnows	Slimy sculpin
Golden shiner	American eel
Common shiner	

Physical Characteristics

Area - 1,568 acres

Maximum depth - 180 feet

Temperatures:

Surface - 73°F

150 feet - 44°F

Principal fisheries: Landlocked salmon, lake trout, smallmouth bass

Embden Pond lies west of the Kennebec River. Its main inlet, Hancock Stream, enters the west shore from nearby Hancock Pond. The pond's outlet, Mill Stream, flows south into the Carrabassett River. Its shoreline is heavily developed.

Water quality in Embden Pond is ideal for coldwater gamefish with a large volume of deep, cold, well-oxygenated water. Lake trout spawning habitat is present in the pond and provides a wild fishery. A small wild salmon population is supplemented by stocking.

Embden Pond is accessible from a public boat launch site located near the outlet on the pond's southern tip. The pond is open to fishing under general law in both the summer and winter seasons.

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